

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING UTAH TRANSIT AUTHORITY

RE: Proposed August 2014 Service Changes. UTA is proposing several service changes to local bus service in Utah County and Salt Lake County. Public hearings will be held to discuss these proposed changes. The locations will be:

### **Utah County:**

Provo City Library at Academy Square, 550 North University Ave., Bullock Room #309  
Wednesday, May 7, 2014 at 6:30 p.m.

### **Salt Lake County:**

Salt Lake Community College, President's Room  
4600 South Redwood Road, Student Center Building, Room 225  
Tuesday, May 6, 2014 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Holladay City Hall, John Holladay Room  
4580 South 2300 East (old Holladay Elementary School)  
Wednesday, May 7, 2014 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

At the hearings, the Utah Transit Authority will provide an opportunity for citizens, private transportation providers, public officials and interested agencies to comment on the proposed changes. To be included as part of the Public Hearing record, all comments must be postmarked or received by UTA no later than May 17, 2014.

The format for the Utah County Public Hearing will be as follows:

Open house to review and discuss proposal with UTA representatives (First 30 minutes)  
Presentation by UTA representative regarding proposal (immediately following Open House)  
Public comment period (immediately following presentation).

The Salt Lake County Public Hearings will be an Open House format. Proposed route changes will be posted. UTA staff will be available to answer questions from the public as well as hear feedback from the public concerning proposed change. The public will also be able to submit written public comments.

To assure full participation at the hearing, accommodations for effective communication such as sign language interpreters or printed materials in alternative formats, or a language interpreter for non-English speaking participants, must be requested at least five (5) working days prior to the date of the scheduled event. Requests for ADA accommodations should be directed to UTA ADA Compliance Officer at 801-287-3536 or dial 711 to make a relay call for deaf or hearing impaired persons. To request a language interpreter, please call 801-227-8958.

Written comments or email comments may be submitted to the following address: Hearing Officer, 669 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 or email directly to [hearingofficer@rideuta.com](mailto:hearingofficer@rideuta.com). Phone calls and questions about the Utah county proposals may be directed to 801-227-8957. Questions about the Salt Lake County proposals may be directed to

801-237-1959. All comments will become part of the public record if received by 5 p.m. May 17, 2014.

**Proposals are as follows:**

UTA is proposing several service changes dependent upon operational feasibility and financial limitations. The changes are designed to improve bus routes. Also, some other concerns such as low ridership, timing and routing adjustments need to be made for a more efficient operating local bus system.

**Utah County Proposals**

- Route 833 a fixed route local service to be replaced with a flex route service and some alignment changes.
- Route 836 a fixed route local service to be replaced with a flex route service and some alignment changes.
- Route 832 will have its alignment adjusted to better serve the Brigham Young University Campus and student housing areas.
- Route 831 will be modified into two different routes, one to serve between the Utah Valley University campus and the Orem FrontRunner station, the other to serve mostly the same area south of UVU to the Provo FrontRunner station with some alignment changes.
- Route 840 a new route, servicing portions of the interior of the UVU campus is proposed.
- Route 853 will be modified into more specific routes to better serve the area between Lehi FrontRunner station and businesses in the Thanksgiving Point area and east of Thanksgiving Point along State Road 92. By establishing three new bus routes: Rt 864, Rt 865, Rt 867.
- Additional small adjustments to all schedules as needed.

**Salt Lake County Proposals**

- Route 9 – Service Mario Capecchi Drive via 1300 East, University Avenue and North Campus Drive. The 9 will terminate at the Medical Center TRAX station and turn into the Route 17. The route frequency is proposed to increase to 30 minutes and add trips to start earlier in the morning.
- Route 17 – Service Mario Capecchi Drive via South Campus Drive. The 17 will terminate at the Medical Center TRAX station and turn into the Route 9. The route frequency is proposed to increase to 30 minutes and add trips to start earlier in the morning.
- Route 45 – Service Murray Central station via State Street. Route frequency proposed increase to 15 minutes. Proposed to be connected with the Route 47 at Murray Central Station.
- Route 47 – Proposed to service Murray Central Station via Atherton Dr. and Vine Street.
- Route 228 – Service proposed to be eliminated between Murray North Station and 3900 South and Wasatch. Route proposed to service 3900 South and Wasatch Park and Ride, 3900 South to 2300 East to 3300 South and then continue with current routing to Research Park, University of Utah and Salt Lake Central Station.
- Route 227 – Proposed to service Salt Lake Community College via 5400 south to 2200 west to 4700 south to Redwood Road service the hub at Salt Lake Community College

continue to 2200 west to 3800 south and then service West Valley Central Station.

- Route 41 – Service 900 West and 3600 South via 700 west to Carlisle then to 3300 South to 700 west to Billinis to 500 West to 3900 South and continue on regular route.
- Route F546 – Proposed realignment to service State Street from 11400 S to 12300 S and service 12300 S from State Street to 700 E. Proposed to no longer service Kimballs Lane Station but will service Draper Town Center Station along Pioneer Rd, Crescent View station via 11400 S and continue to service Sandy Civic Center Station after servicing the South Town Mall.

**Additional information items:**

Changes being proposed will be finalized after the public hearing comment period ends May 17, 2014 and will be ready to start operating as part of the Aug. 17, 2014 change day.

**Informational items:**

Relevant information about the proposed changes will be available at the Public Hearing or may be reviewed at the UTA Orem office, 1110 South Geneva Road, until May 17, 2014. Comments on proposed changes must be postmarked or received by UTA no later than 5 p.m. May 17, 2014 to be part of the Public Hearing record.

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